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Attorney Docket No. 390533

First Inventor George T. Spitz, et al.

Title ALKOXYMETHYL MELAMINE CROSSLINKERS

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107	490	207	245	Plant filing fee	
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103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	80	202	40	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	270	204	135	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
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	105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
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	139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
	147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
	112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
	113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
	115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
	116	390	216	195	Extension for reply within second month	
	117	890	217	445	Extension for reply within third month	
	118	1,390	218	695	Extension for reply within fourth month	
	128	1,890	228	945	Extension for reply within fifth month	
	119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal	
	120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
	121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	
	138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
	140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
	141	1,240	241	620	Petition to revive - unintentional	
	142	1,240	242	620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
	143	440	243	220	Design issue fee	
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	146	710	246	355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
	149	710	249	355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
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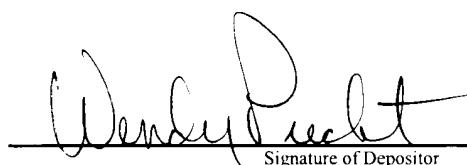
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